

I am extremely opposed to a further loosening of the rules regarding media ownership. The rules currently in place are already too loose. The case of Clear Channel clearly demonstrates this. By allowing this conglomeration of media you ensure elimination of local content, weaken the variability of artistic expression, and give these media giants far far too much political sway in our democracy. Do NOT extend these rules. Indeed, I urge you tighten the existing rules - clear Channel is a menace to our democracy.